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Subject: COT Security Notification - Security Bulletins for October

## **COT Security Notification**

Microsoft has just released the <u>Security Bulletins for October</u> which includes **four critical** bulletins, **six important** bulletins and **one moderate** bulletin. Various vulnerabilities are addressed in the bulletins. Details of the vulnerabilities and their impact are provided in the links listed.

**MS08-056 Moderate:** Vulnerability in Microsoft Office Could Allow Information Disclosure (957699)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-056.mspx

**MS08-057 Critical:** Vulnerabilities in Microsoft Excel Could Allow Remote Code Execution (956416)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-057.mspx

**MS08-058 Critical:** Cumulative Security Update for Internet Explorer (956390) <a href="http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-058.mspx">http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-058.mspx</a>

**MS08-059 Critical:** Vulnerability in Host Integration Server RPC Service Could Allow Remote Code Execution (956695)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-059.mspx

**MS08-060 Critical:** Vulnerability in Active Directory Could Allow Remote Code Execution (957280)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-060.mspx

**MS08-061 Important:** Vulnerabilities in Windows Kernel Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (954211)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-061.mspx

**MS08-062 Important:** Vulnerability in Windows Internet Printing Service Could Allow Remote Code Execution (953155)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-062.mspx

**MS08-063 Important:** Vulnerability in SMB Could Allow Remote Code Execution (957095)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-063.mspx

**MS08-064 Important:** Vulnerability in Virtual Address Descriptor Manipulation Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (956841)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-064.mspx

**MS08-065 Important:** Vulnerability in Message Queuing Could Allow Remote Code Execution (951071)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-065.mspx

**MS08-066 Important:** Vulnerability in the Microsoft Ancillary Function Driver Could Allow Elevation of Privilege (956803)

http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS08-066.mspx

NOTICE: COT is providing this information so that you are aware of the latest security threats, vulnerabilities, software patches, etc. You should consult with your network administrator or other technical resources to ensure that the appropriate actions for these alerts are followed. If you are a network administrator and need additional information, please call the Help Desk at 502.564.7576.

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